## **CLAIMS**

- 1) Three-way stopcock for medical use which comprises a body or nucleus (1) wherein a principal channel (2) and two secondary arms converge, so as to receive an intravenous catheter (11) and two other supply catheters (10, 10') respectively, acting in the body of the cited nucleus (1) a plug or stopper (4) which is externally activated by a handle (5) communicating or not the secondary arms (3, 3') and principal (2) arms between themselves, in which said secondary arms or channels (3,3') emerge from the nucleus (1) in diametrically opposite 90° angles with respect to the principal arm (2), in such a way that the final portion of these secondary arms are oriented in the direction towards the head of the patient, characterized in that the secondary arms (3,3') emerging from the nucleus (1) present, in each one of it's trajectories, initial portion or segment (3a, 3'a) which is curved, flexible and with a high elastic index continuing in a final distal segment (3b, 3'b) sensibly parallel between themselves.
- 2) Three-way stopcock according to claim 1 characterized in that the arms (3, 3') are basically made out of material of medical grade polymer.
- 3) Three-way stopcock according to claim 1, characterized in that the plug or stopper (4) presents in its interior inner channels (4a, 4b) which present an interior configuration sensibly in the form of inverted "V", with branches slightly arched.

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